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**BOX PATENT APPLICATION**  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Inventor(s):

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- (X) Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney (unsigned).
- (X) 14 sheets of drawing (informal).
- ( ) An Assignment of the invention to \_\_\_\_\_.
- ( ) A certified copy of \_\_\_\_\_.
- ( ) Associate Power of Attorney.

( ) Verified statement(s) to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27.

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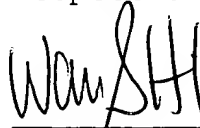
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- ( ) Applicants will establish status as a small entity in due course, and will pay the required filing fee at that time.
- ( ) Applicant(s) claim priority in this application under 35 U.S.C. 119 from \_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_.

Respectfully submitted,



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